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Docket No.: ROWAN005

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of inventor(s): Lisa M. Fitzgerald

For: SPRING LOADED AUTOMATIC RETRACTABLE NEEDLE SYRINGE

[] REQUEST FOR NON PUBLICATION. THE PRESENT APPLICATION IS NOT TO BE PUBLISHED. It is certified that the invention disclosed in the present application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

Enclosed:

- [X] Seven (7) sheets of formal drawings.
- [X] Inventors' declaration and power of attorney
- [X] Assignment of the invention to P. ROWAN SMITH, Jr. with recordation form cover sheet.

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